



## Washington State Department of Health

### OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY PRACTICE BOARD PUBLIC MEETING AGENDA

January 21, 2022

9:30 a.m.

This meeting is available by Microsoft Teams only.  
To join the Teams Meeting, please see the last page of this agenda.

---

BOARD MEMBERS: DI IRONS, PUBLIC MEMBER; SUNNY ANDERSON, OTA; WALTER GRUENWALD, OT, CHAIR; MARY SPORES, OT, VICE-CHAIR; NING BARFIELD, OT

CONTACT: KATHY WEED, PROGRAM MANAGER  
(360) 236-4883 PHONE; (360) 236-2901 FAX  
[kathy.weed@doh.wa.gov](mailto:kathy.weed@doh.wa.gov)

**Times and Order:** The meeting will commence at 9:30 a.m. on January 21, 2022, and continue until all agenda items are complete. The board will work through lunch and adjourn for the evening as determined by the agenda and the board. This agenda is subject to change. Comments from the public in attendance will be solicited after each agenda item. Smoking is prohibited at this meeting. **This meeting is fragrance free. We ask that you please refrain from applying perfume, hair spray, cologne or aftershave prior to your visit.** Your cooperation is appreciated.

**Accessibility:** This meeting is accessible to persons with disabilities. Special aids and services can be made available upon request. Advance request for special aids and services must be made no later than January 15, 2022. If you wish to receive general information about this meeting, please call 360-236-4883. If you need assistance with special needs and services, you may leave a message with that request at 1-800-525-0127 or, if calling from outside Washington State, call 360-236-4052. TDD may also be accessed by calling the TDD relay service at 1-800-833-6388. If you need assistance due to a speech disability, Speech-to-Speech provides human voicers for people with difficulty being understood. The Washington Speech-to-Speech toll free access number is 1-877-833-6341.

**January 21, 2022 – 9:30 a.m.**

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- 1.1** Introductions –board members and audience members
- 1.2** Approval of agenda
- 1.3** Approval October 15, 2021 meeting minutes
- 1.4** Selection of Chair and Vice-chair for remainder of 2022 meetings

**2. PRESENTATION ON CREDENTIALING PROCESS-** The board will receive a presentation on the departments credentialing process and statistics. Presentation by credentialing office staff members.

**3. CORRESPONDENCE -** The board will review, discuss, and may take action on a drafted response to correspondence received previously regarding if an OT provide services to a client who has been evaluated by a Physical Therapist. Presentation by Program Manager, Kathy Weed.

**4. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT—** Information provided to the board by Executive Director, Trina Crawford.

- 4.1** Budget update

**5. PROGRAM MANAGER REPORT—**Discussion and possible action on information provided to the board by Program Manager, Kathy Weed.

- 5.1** Recruitment update
- 5.2** Legislative update

**6. PRESENTATION ON SB 5229 IMPLEMENTATION-** The board will receive a presentation on implementation of SB 5229, Concerning health equity continuing education for health care professionals. Presentation by Ashley Bell, Behavioral Health Programs Coordinator.

**7. AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS –**The board will discuss agenda items for future meetings.

**8. OPEN FORUM FOR PUBLIC COMMENT**

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

# Microsoft Teams meeting

**Join on your computer or mobile app**

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

**Or call in (audio only)**

[+1 564-999-2000,,569807147#](#) United States, Olympia

Phone Conference ID: 569 807 147#

[Find a local number](#) | [Reset PIN](#)

[Learn More](#) | [Meeting options](#)